

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1180  
By Hargrove

A RESOLUTION to commend David Patrick Johnson for  
exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, David Patrick Johnson is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Chairman Jere Hargrove; Patrick's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at Tennessee Tech, where he is highly regarded by his peers, Patrick has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including intramural sports, golf, and fishing; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further his studies, Patrick Johnson brought his many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2004 session of the One Hundred Third General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, he has become the resident legislative expert on sports trivia and information; and

WHEREAS, his co-workers affectionately called Patrick a "forgetful person" who has enjoyed the many opportunities for free food on Capital Hill; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2004 legislative session, David Patrick Johnson has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, his tremendous accomplishments are sources of pride for his parents, David and Donna Johnson, his siblings, Kendra and Hailey, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Patrick Johnson has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend David Patrick Johnson for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Chairman Jere Hargrove and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.